TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 1697 - SB 1927

March 31, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the State Employee Health Plan to include a supplemental program that pays cash benefits for covered events.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – Exceeds \$100,000/One-Time Exceeds \$100,000/Recurring

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Finance and Administration, consulting services for the design, development, and procurement process will result in a one-time increase in state expenditures exceeding \$100,000.
- The State Insurance Committee is authorized to determine the benefits package, funding method, administrative procedures, eligibility provisions, and rules relating to the program. Due to several unknown factors, it is difficult to quantify the precise costs associated with implementing the program. The recurring increase in state expenditures is estimated to exceed \$100,000.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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